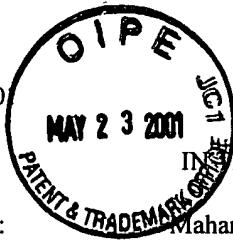


DYH:kfd
May 21, 2001



RECEIVED
PATENT APPLICATION
DOCKET NO.: CIBT-P02-043

MAY 25 2001

HJO

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Mahanthappa

Application No.: 09/418,221 Group Art Unit: 1627

Filed: October 14, 1999 Examiner: T. Wessendorf

Title: NEUROPROTECTIVE METHODS AND REAGENTS

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.8(a)

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231

on 5/21/01
Date

Karen DiRocco
Karen DiRocco

CHANGE OF ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

Please note that the Attorney Docket Number has been changed from
ONV-043.02 to CIBT-P02-043. Please reference CIBT-P02-043 on all future correspondence.

Respectfully submitted,

ROPES AND GRAY

By 
David Halstead
Registration No.: 44,735
Telephone: (617) 951-7000
Facsimile: (617) 951-7050

Boston, Massachusetts 02110
Dated: May 21, 2001